



BISCAYNE NATIONAL PARK
Volunteers In Parks
9700 SW 328th Street
Homestead, FL 33030
(305)230-1144

Creel Surveys VIP

How many people required: flexible

Goals of this position: Assist Resource Management

How many days per week: *Sundays only*, 12:00pm-4:00pm

Duration of position: year-round

Location of Volunteer Position: Begin: Dante Fascell Visitor Center, Biscayne National Park 9700 SW 328th Street, Homestead, FL 33033 but will drive to local marinas

Tasks required:

- Gather data from local fishermen returning to local marinas
- Measure and record catches from local fishermen
- Help to create a baseline for measuring health of fisheries throughout the park

Characteristics of a Creel Survey VIP

- Responsible and professional
- Self-starter and quick to learn
- Follows directions, but can independently perform tasks once oriented
- Punctual and dependable
- People skills desirable
- Able to be out in variable weather conditions (rain, sun, heat, cold, etc...)
- Bilingual a plus

Paperwork Needed:

- Application (OF301) www.nps.gov/getinvolved/volunteer.htm
- Agreement, with parental approval if under 18yrs (OF301a)
- Job description (this page will suffice for PD)
- JHA (if needed)

Ranger Contact/Supervisor Information: [Shelby Moneysmith@nps.gov](mailto:Shelby.Moneysmith@nps.gov), (305)230-1144 x028

Required Training: On-the-job training will be provided

Suggested Training: Fish identification class/training/experience helpful

Other Items to Note: 16yrs+, uniformed position (provided), no reimbursements available

